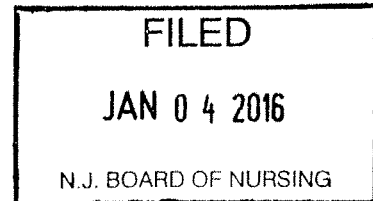


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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE
LICENSE OF

Administrative Action

MARIE ANGELINA, R.N.
LICENSE # NO11675500

CONSENT ORDER

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of information alleging that respondent, while employed at Shore Medical Center as a nurse, was negligent in the course of performing her duties as a nurse on at least two occasions.

On December 23, 2013, respondent documented that a patient who was on a Levophed drip had an infusion rate of .032 mg/hr. This was clearly an inaccurate amount, as Levophed is delivered

in micrograms per minute, and the documented infusion rate was not what the physician ordered. Respondent maintains that the error occurred in documentation, and that she must have struck the drop down menu for mg/hr by mistake, i.e., that the error was in charting and not in the administration of the medication.

Additionally, on January 11, 2015, respondent administered Versed intravenously to calm a patient who was restless when undergoing an MRI. By administering this medication, respondent violated the facility's policy that an R.N. trained and experienced in the use of agents employed for moderate sedation shall be permitted to administer supplemental doses of such medication only after the initial dose is given by a physician who remains present. In this instance, respondent administered the initial dose of Versed.

The Board finds that these two incidents constitute repeated acts of negligence within the intendment of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(d).

The parties desiring to resolve this matter without further proceedings and without admissions, respondent waiving any right to a hearing, and the Board finding that the within order is sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS, ON THIS 4th DAY OF January, 2016

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

1. Respondent shall provide documentation of successful completion of a course in medication administration and a course in moderate sedation, to be pre-approved by the Board, and which courses may not be utilized to satisfy respondent's ordinary continuing education obligation pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.3. Respondent has already documented completion of these two courses and has satisfied this requirement.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

Patricia Murphy PLD APN

By:

Patricia Ann Murphy, PhD, APN, C
Board President

I have read and understand
the within Consent Order and
agree to be bound by its terms.

Marie Angelina RN.

Marie Angelina, R.N.

Consent as to form and entry:

Kathleen M. Gialanella, Esq.

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